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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

HU YANG
TA YEN CHING
GANGFENG CAI

Serial No.: 09/666,642

Filed: September 21, 2000

For: COMPATIBLE BLEND SYSTEMS OF
OXYGEN BARRIER POLYMERS AND
OXYGEN SCAVENGING POLYMERS

Group Art Unit: 1711

Examiner: Jeffrey C. Mullis

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**BOX RCE**

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114a. ☐ Previously submitted

i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 previously filed on _____.
(Any unentered amendments referred to above will be entered).

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.

iii. ☐ Other:

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment/Reply

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declarations

iv. ☐ Other _____

2.

Miscellaneous

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) **required**)

b. ☐ Other _____

3.

Fees

 The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0786 if the check is missing or insufficient.

i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e)

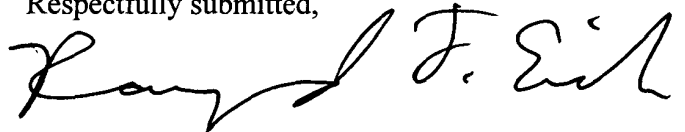
ii. ☒ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$1160 enclosed.

c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed).

Respectfully submitted,



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